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Attached are a **NOTICE of APPEAL** and a **PETITION to EXTEND TIME** in response to the **FINAL Office action dated September 26, 2002** and the **ADVISORY Office action dated December 16, 2002**. Please acknowledge receipt. Thank you.

Respectfully,

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Inventors(s): George Earl Peterson Case: 18

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Examiner: Shih Chao Chen Group Art Unit: 2821

Title: Broadband Polling Structure

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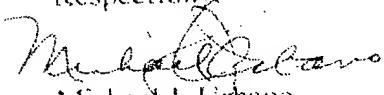
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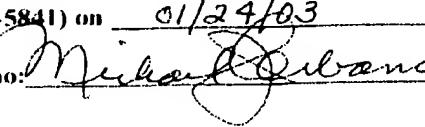
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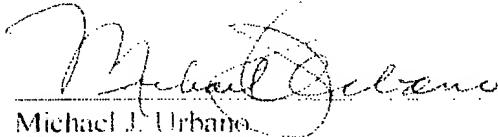
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